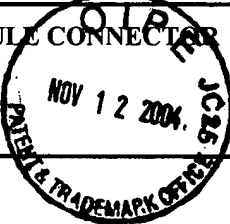



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In response to the Office Action mailed 08/11/2004, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are indicated by the notation "currently amended" or "new" in the Listing of the Claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

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